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Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116 Expedited Procedure - Group 3713

## PATENT APPLICATION

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| Filed: March 29, 2000       |                       | ) |   |
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| For:                        | ANIMATION DISPLAY     | ) |   |
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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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